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Application Number-933648

Funding Request Number-2551426

Nexus System-

SPIN-143027251

Bellsouth Telecommunications-

SPIN-143004824

USAC-assigned Invoice Number (if known)

Amount of invoice-\$6,228

Reason for extension request (Out of Window Date)

Originally, I misjudged the due date of the 471 and was late filing UCA's Form 471. This is a formal request for an extension on the filing date of Union Christian Academy's Form 471. This will be UCA's first time to request an extension/waiver of any kind from USAC and the FCC, thereby showing the school has no habit of disregarding due dates/rules of USAC.

I originally filed an extension waiver request through USAC on April 10th but later received on May 20th an USAC letter denying my appeal and recommended I send the appeal to the following address,

"Letter of Appeal,

Schools and Libraries Division-Correspondence Unit

30 Lanidex Plaza West

P.O. Box 685

Parsippany, NJ 07054-0685"

This resulted in another letter denying this request and telling me this was an FCC issue and to send my request to them. I sent the appeal to the FCC and called USAC July 26th and talked to a USAC Rep to see if any decision had been made. At this point, he suggested I call the FCC. I talked to a Deb who advised this

was a TAPD issue, I spoke with Naomi and finally James Bachtell who showed me the steps to request another appeal to FCC.

Please consider the all the steps taken and the time and the determination to get to this point. We need not only a decision but an approval of our extension on the 471 due date as we are a small private school and our vendors will be requesting the funds for our internet service for the year 2013.

Thank you for your time.

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